

Figure 1A is a plot of Delta n versus Radius (mm). The plot shows a central peak at Radius = 0 mm, with Delta n values ranging from approximately -0.002 to 0.007. The curve is symmetric about the center, with Delta n values decreasing as the radius increases. The plot is overlaid on a grid with major lines every 5 units on the x-axis and every 0.001 units on the y-axis.

FIGURE 1A

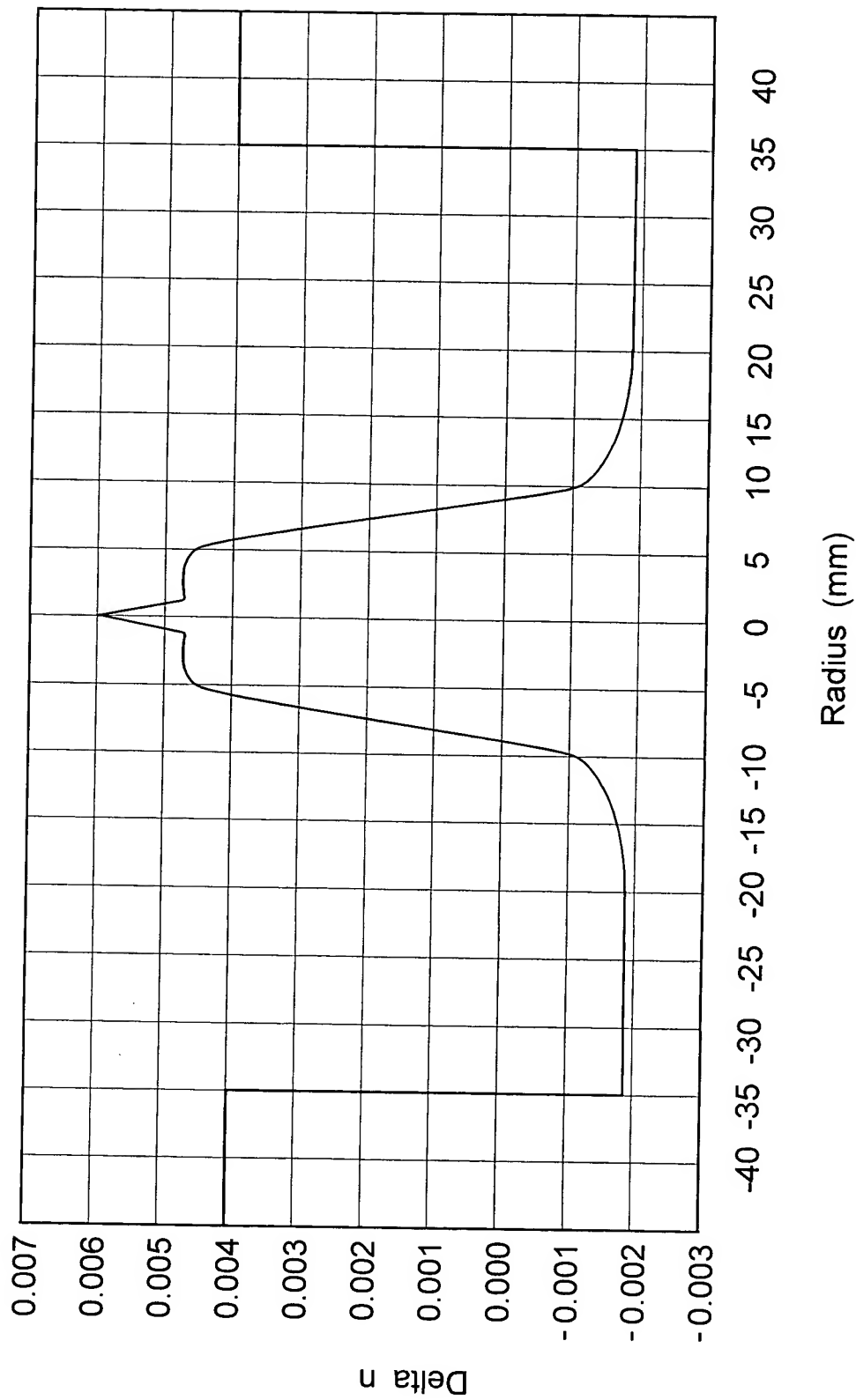


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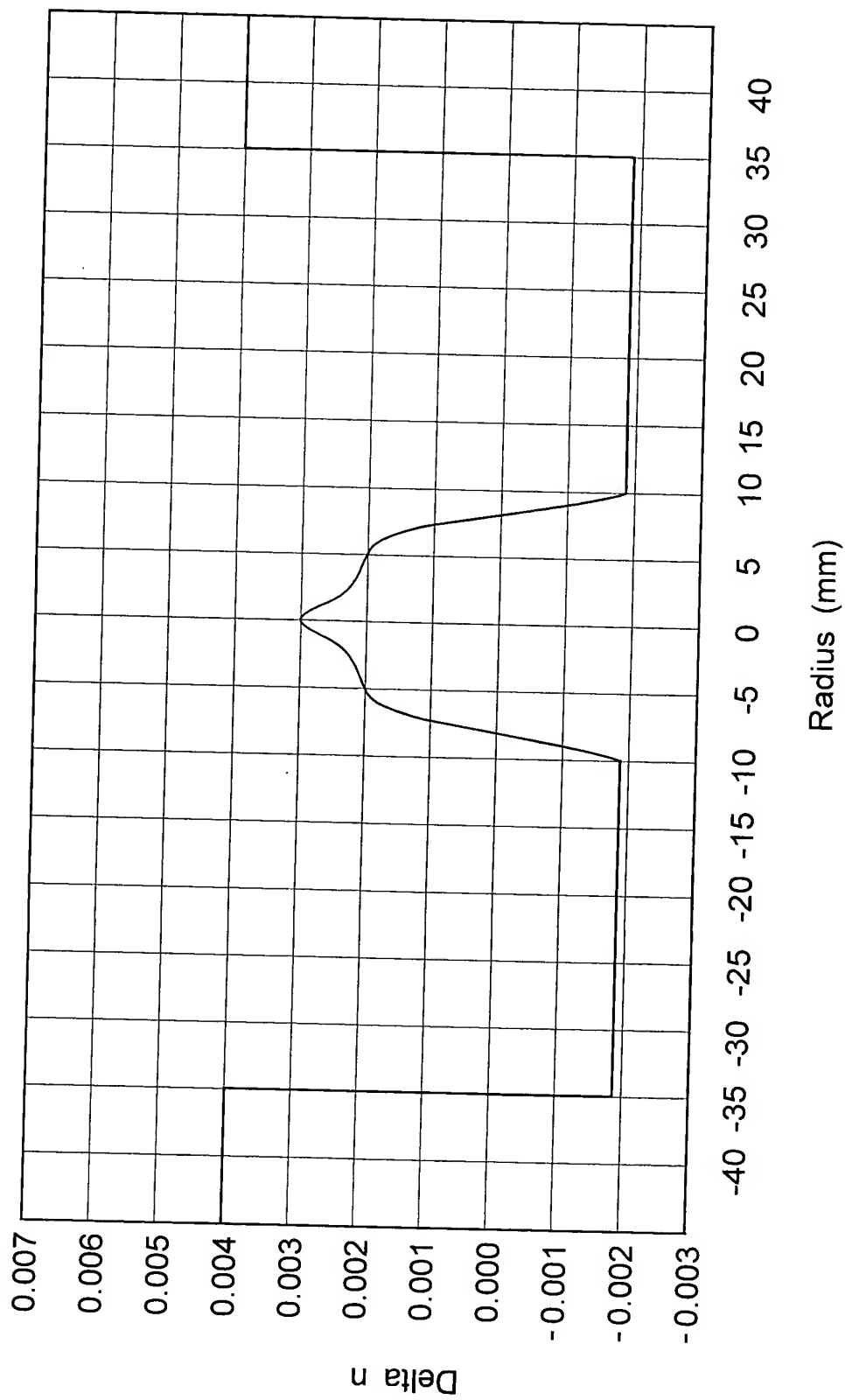


FIG. 2

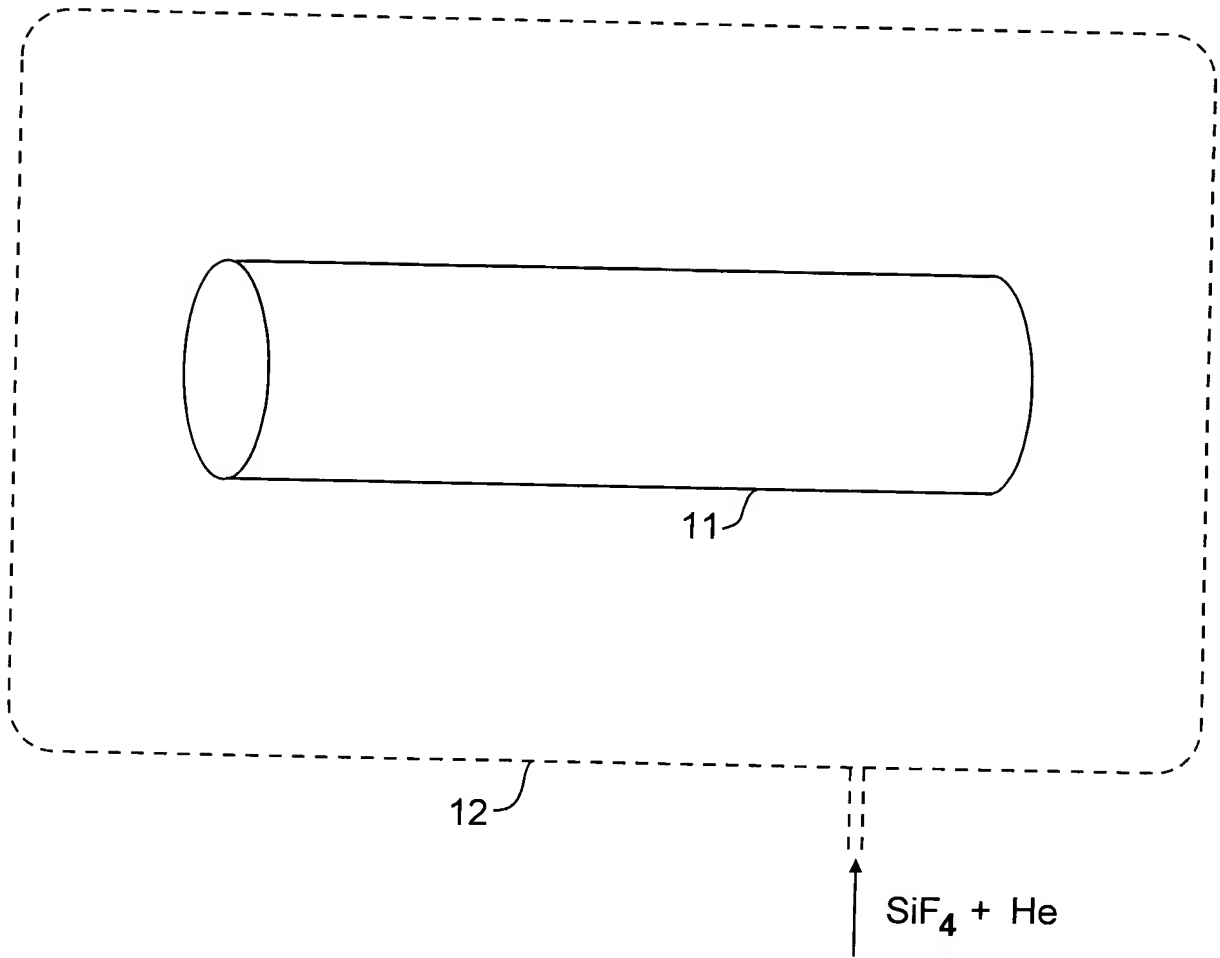


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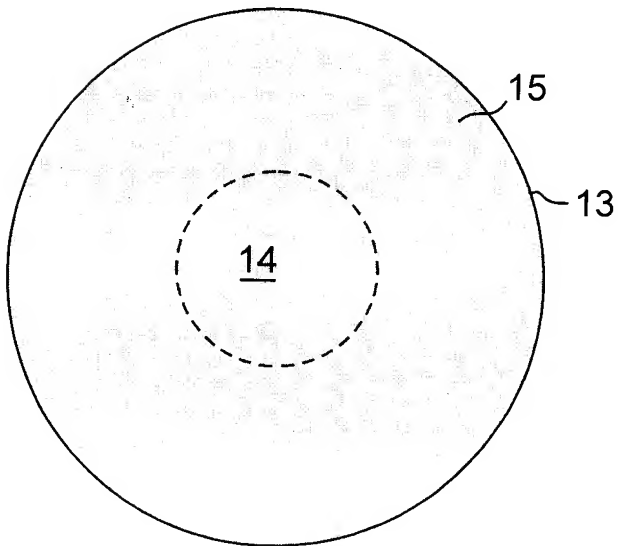


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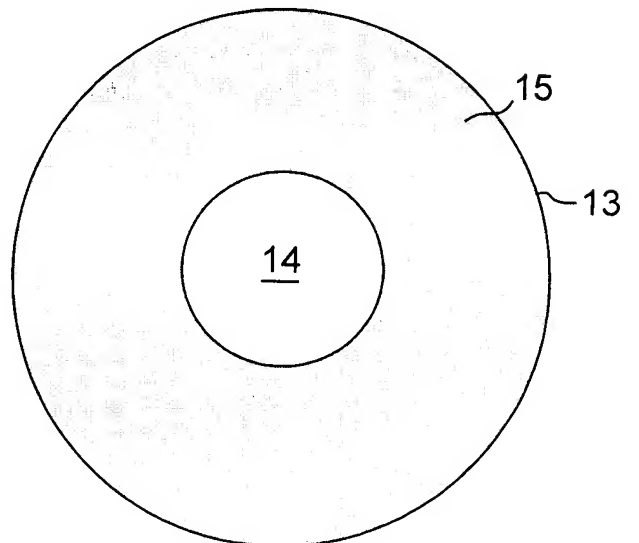


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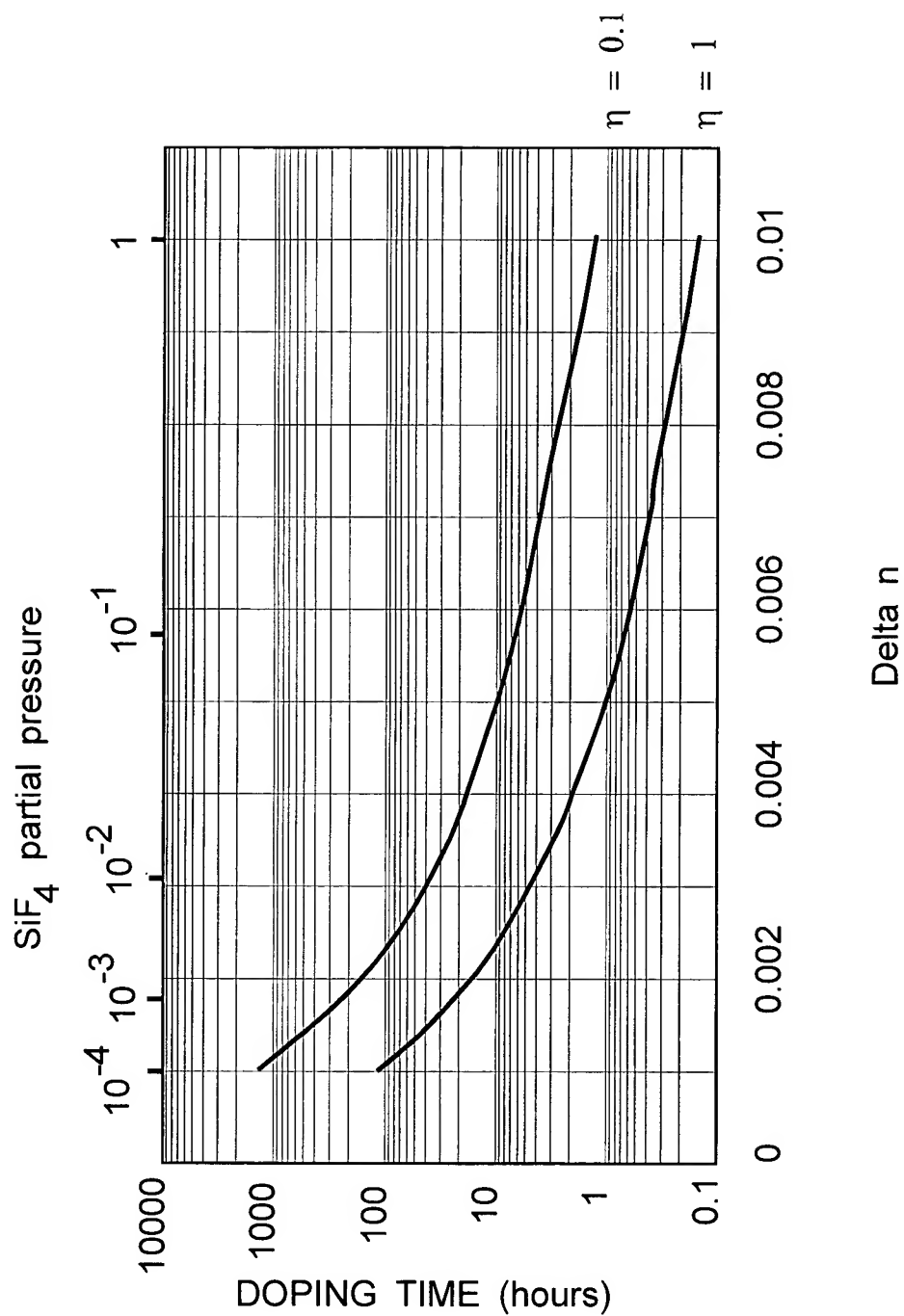


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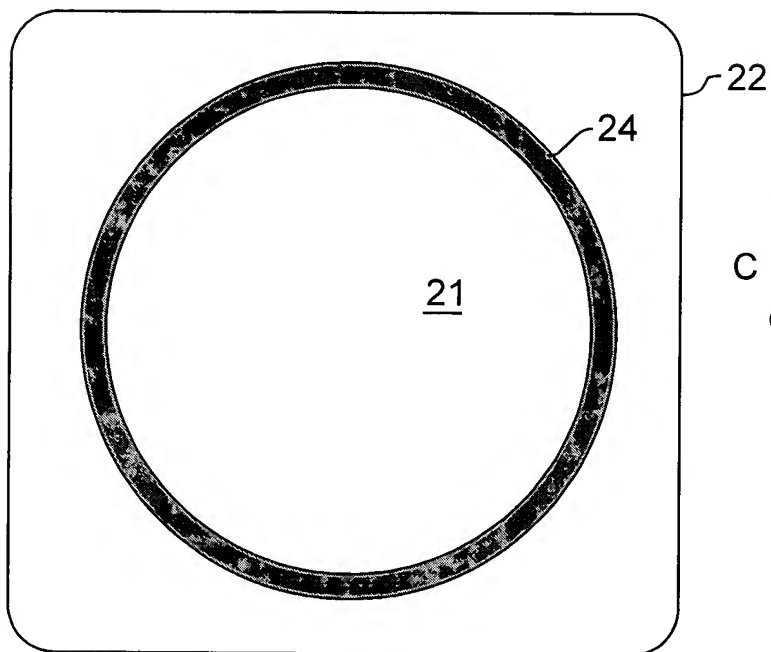


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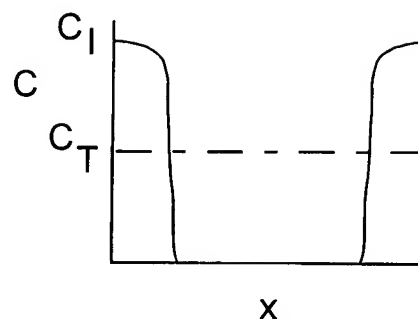


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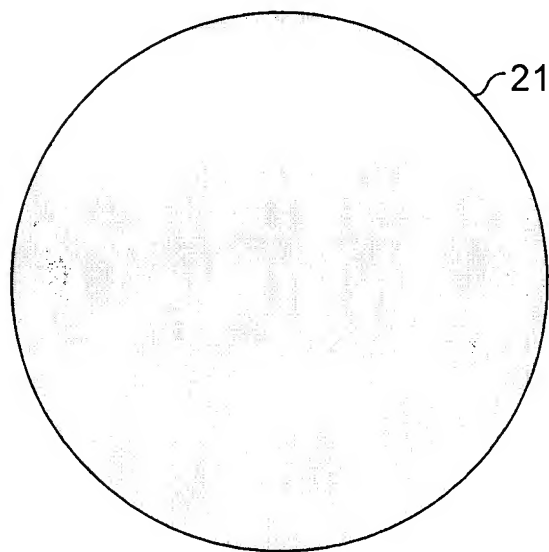


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